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**IN THE CLAIMS:**

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Claim 15. (Amended) An ink-jet recording method which sprays droplets of an ink composition and causes the droplets to adhere to a recording medium so as